

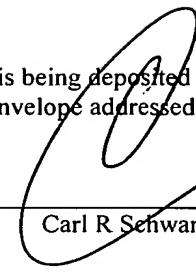


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Applicants: Richard W. Avery et al.
Serial No.: 10/035,499
Filed: October 26, 2001
Title: HARD SURFACE CLEANERS CONTAINING CHITOSAN
Art Unit: 1751
Examiner: Gregory R. Delcotto

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed August 14, 2003 in the above described case, Applicants hereby request that the above application be amended as follows.

Amendment

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing of claims on pages 2 and 3.

Remarks relating to the amendment are on pages 4-8.

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